

**Minutes of the Aslockton Annual Parish Meeting held at 7pm on Monday 13th May 2019
at the Thomas Cranmer Centre, Main Street, Aslockton**

Attended:

Cllr M Barker (outgoing Parish Council Chairman); Cllr C Haslam; Cllr K Auckland; Cllr A Crowley; incoming councillors A Lister and J Beet; the parish clerk Mrs M Sharratt; Borough Cllr M Stockwood, 4 members of the public.

Apologies: Cllr J Brown; Cllr Sharpe; County Cllr F Purdue-Horan

Adoption of 2018 Annual Parish Meeting Minutes

APC resolved to adopt the minutes. They were signed off accordingly by the Chairman.

Matters arising (updating reports)

None.

Aslockton Parish Council Annual Report by the Chair

Following on from my report last year, the damage to Abbey Lane and New Lane has been repaired and at long last Dark Lane has been resurfaced.

With regard to housing developments in the village, I also reported last year that the development of 10 dwellings at the Maltings had been refused. However, this has recently gone to appeal and despite agreeing with all of our objections, the Planning Inspector upheld the appeal due to Rushcliffe's lack of a five-year housing supply.

There has also been an application by Gladman Developments for 75 dwellings on the land adjacent to the Avant Homes site on Abbey Lane. This was refused but we are awaiting an appeal.

The volunteers responsible for the village planters continue to receive many compliments and they will be shortly installing two new planters which have been donated by Avant Homes.

The WAPFT has obtained funding to improve the play equipment and it is hoped that work will start shortly. Further funding opportunities are being explored with regard to the possible replacement of the pavilion on Dark Lane. Whilst there was no football played last season, Bingham Archery Club has expressed an interest in using the field for practice sessions.

Finally, I would like to thank all the Councillors and the Clerk for their support over the last twelve months. After twelve years on the Council, mostly enjoyable, I have decided to stand down. I wish the Council well in its endeavours to protect the village's rural character.

Matters brought up by Parishioners

None.

The chairman thanked everyone for attending and the meeting closed at 7.09pm

M Sharratt, clerk.